

# THE HAMLIN HERALD

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## Hamlin Is "All Set" For Merry Christmas Time

All Hamlin needs now to be "All-set" for a merry Christmas, is to see some snow, some sleet and ice. All Christmas designs are going to be out of fashion unless it begins to snow. Even the green is so common all about that the evergreen trees do not have the "kick" that we are accustomed to.

Rich roses, and other flowers are in plain evidence (here Dec. 15) and on every tongue, we hear expressions, "this weather is just before a blizzard."

Hamlin's Main Street is aglow with the Christmas lights, bidding a welcome to the kiddoes soon to come in from schools. Hamlin's Main Street has the advantage of many other towns—for in coming into the city on Christmas night one gets the same thrill as if approaching a big

city.

Then there are the many attractive show windows in our business houses bidding the searcher for a bit of Christmas Cheer to enter and partake of the many articles of real value. The Herald would like to tell you whose window is the prettiest, but as we have not been appointed to "judge" we had better let YOU determine the contest in your own mind. Really the Herald likes the idea of "unveiling" Christmas Show Windows in a formal manner, and introducing the general public to the greatest event of the year.

As we travel over the residential sections of Hamlin, we see the glowing windows, where Santa is sure to enter to leave a loving remembrance to members of the family.

## JONES COUNTY IS CHOSEN FOR TOUR

The Herald has a communication from Robert C. Cross, Rural Supervisor of the Farm Security Administration for Jones County, saying:

"A tour and meeting have been planned to be held in Jones and Taylor Counties Monday, December 18, at which time Congressman Clyde L. Garrett will speak and officials from the State and Regional Office of the Farm Security Administration, Dallas, Texas, will be present.

"The tour will be in Jones County and a night meeting will be held in Abilene Monday night, December 18, where Congressman Garrett will speak and the motion picture, "The River," will be shown.

"We shall appreciate your attendance and any publicity you may offer in your newspaper, as we consider this occasion an honor as Jones County was selected from a group of seventeen counties in which to hold this tour."

The Herald will add to the above, this: The Tour over the county will enable the officials and any interested citizen an opportunity to see the happy families that have been loaned money to buy farm homes with. It will aid one to see for himself what this form of governmental assistance is developing. To our way of seeing it, it is the greatest move towards permanent help to men and women who have no homes.

Some days ago Congressman Garrett was in Hamlin and the Herald Man took occasion to impress our opinion of this kind of governmental co-operation. We are frank in saying the government is making the greatest investment, and a safe one, in buying choice farm lands for frugal families. Any "billions" of dollars could be spent this way without taxing anyone in the United States a dime. The land is the best collateral in all the world. It will be better, ten, twenty, a hundred years from now than at present, because it is being conserved and improved each year.

Mr. and Mrs. Harrison Hooper were in Sweetwater, Monday visiting his mother and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Eakin.

## Jones County Leads In Cotton For This Area

The Census report of cotton ginned in Texas up to December 1, shows that Jones County is far ahead of her neighboring counties in the number of bales ginned.

Here are a few counties:

Callahan	2521
Coke	1669
Coleman	11941
Dickens	10161
Eastland	570
Fisher	17,302
Haskell	17,697
Howard	16,528
JONES	23,087
Knox	14,981
Martin	12,489
Midland	1,963
Mitchell	16,576
Nolan	9,926
Runnels	16,853
Scurry	17,251
Stonewall	4,494
Throckmorton	553

As for Jones County, the highest guesses has been around 25,000 for the season, but with only a little better than 23,000 on Dec. 1, it would appear that the final report will be around 24,000 for the county.

The next report will be up to Dec. 13. But the recent rains checked picking and even the next report will not show all the cotton.

Commissioner John C. Turner has been confined to his bed all this week. He is better and should be up again in a few days.

## High School Students Form Chapter Of Nat'l. Honor Society

Fifteen charter members of the Hamlin chapter of the National Honor Society for secondary schools were installed and presented membership cards by officers of the Abilene chapter in a special assembly of the Hamlin High School Tuesday morning.

Grant Jones, president of the Abilene chapter, presided and presented the following program: Significance of the Emblem and Colors, Larry Scarborough; Scholarship Edwin Jennings; Character, Dickey Dane Edmonds; Leadership, Grant Jones; and Service, Kathryn Barnes, Mr. L. E. Dudley, superintendent of the Abilene schools and sponsor of the Abilene chapter, gave an address on the National Honor Society a Goal for High School Students.

Grant Jones administered the pledge of the society to Hazel Adkins, Charles Brown, Billy Joe Burton, R. A. Dean, Joyce Hudson, Geneva Huling, Bob Jack Low, Odean Murphree, Ethel Bell Neal, James Nicholson, Julia Pitcock, Jean Young, Verna Mae Sipe, Mignon Waggoner, and Stanley Wilson.

Miss Bernice Whiteley is sponsor of the Hamlin Chapter.

Rev. C. Y. Dossey, of Dallas was a guest this week in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. Henry Littleton. Rev. Dossey conducted a meeting in Hamlin several years ago.

## Schubert Club to Present Contata Sunday Evening

At the First Baptist Church Sunday evening, the Schubert Club will present a Christmas Cantata, The Christ Child, by C. B. Hawley. The program will be directed by Miss Edwina Gilbert with Mrs. W. C. Russell, accompanist. Solo parts will be sung by Mrs. Willard Maberry, Mrs. L. H. McBride and Miss Constance Teague. A trio composed of

Miss Betty Merle Routh, Mrs. Henry Albritton and Mrs. Lott Shell and a quartet, including Misses Dorothy Fern Routh, Twila Ruth Smith, Lanelle Carlton and Floy Hudson, members of the High School Choral club will sing.

The public is invited to hear this program.

## HAMLIN SCHOOLS GIVE TO CRIPPLES

The students of the Elementary school and the students of the High school are contributing \$14.03 to the crippled childrens institution at Gonzales, Texas.

This money is to be used to the development of that institution, that some of the twenty thousand crippled children of the State of Texas might be benefited.

This money was raised by volunteer donations in our school.

Mrs. J. J. Herbst is reported seriously injured by a fall at her home east of Hamlin early Thursday. She is feeble from age and reports are she suffered a badly broken hip.

## METHODIST CHURCH

CHURCH SCHOOL:

It may seem a small matter that you and your family are urged to Sabbath morning. But such has proved a study at the church each en that it makes different sort of people, has proven its value. In the last ten years, marked within it, a criminal period, featuring revolt of our youth, only one-half of one percent who have attended Sunday school have appeared on the criminal list. This institution has withstood modern strain!

MORNING WORSHIP, 10:50:

The choir will co-operate, furnishing their share in the service. No worship period would be in anywise complete without them. A good sized audience of interesting people will share with you in this service. The pastor will speak, using this subject: "The Lord Prepares First Christmas." Did Jewish life—the civilization seem to converge in preparation for the first Christmas? You might find the study profitable.

YOUNG PEOPLE will meet in their worship period at the usual hour—6:15 p. m. If you are young, not engaged in any such service in another church, your presence is urged.

EVENING WORSHIP:

We will worship with the Schubert Music Club in their annual occasion. They will render a Christmas Cantata, and we will all be there. The First Baptist Church, at 7:30 p. m. This feature is well reported and should draw together a big crowd.

## Christmas Service At Post Office

The parcel post and general delivery windows will remain open on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 16th, also Saturday afternoon, Dec. 23rd, to take care of the Christmas rush. We will also open from nine-thirty till ten on Christmas Day, to care for parcels arriving late for Christmas delivery, since it throws two days of closing together. The Post Office force, including carriers, wish a very merry Christmas for every one.

HAROLD BONNER, Postmaster

Mrs. Phil Sparkman returned to her home in Sweetwater, Wednesday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Boyd.

Mrs. G. F. Boyd was called to Sweetwater Monday to be with her daughter, Mrs. Marvin Hampton who had an appendix operation Monday night. Mrs. Hampton is reported to be recovering nicely.



**TOYLAND Headquarters**  
For Everybody — BOYS—GIRLS— "Even Dad and Mother"  
**Two Big Stores Chuck Full of Christmas Everything In One Place**



When In Doubt Come To Visit Us For

GIFT INFORMATION Our Sales Force Will Aid the Young and Old

FOLLOW THE CROWDS LOOKING FOR CHRISTMAS AT

**M. T. YORK'S STORES**

HAMLIN

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Do Your Christmas Shopping At  
**STRAUSS'**

- We have almost everything in GIFTS -

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HAMLIN, TEXAS



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Wrist curved watch for men  
**A Bulova Watch**  
Complete with matching bracelet  
**\$33.75**

Raised gold initial ring mounted on genuine onyx. Styled for her or him.

**\$42.50**

Two diamond wrist watch with link bracelet. 17 jewel

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It is so easy to give precious gifts of jewelry, when you have our easy payment plan at your convenience! Just a small amount down and a year to pay the balance—means a happier Christmas for all!

**Witt Jewelry & Gift Shop**

Top—man to do farm work and woman to keep house. No children.  
N. R. PACKWOOD. (p)

**LUMBER FOR SALE**  
Good used lumber for sale, also windows and doors.  
VERNON HARRIS,  
Phone 9028 F 1-3. 7-p)

**LAND FOR SALE**  
160 acres, good location. Plenty water. Two sets of improvements. Cash payment \$1000.00. \$20.00 per acre.  
—250 acres, 8 miles from Hamlin, 2 sets of improvements. Abundance of water. Near church and school. 236 acres in cultivation. A real buy, \$25.00 per acre. \$2500.00 cash.  
—Good section of grass land, well located. \$7.00 per acre can be borrowed on this land. Price \$10.00 per acre. See—  
D. M. WHITE, Hamlin, Texas.

The Herald Anywhere 1 Yr. \$1.00

**Suffering Women  
Welcome "Build-Up"**

A simple method is saving many women much pain and discomfort! It is based on the knowledge that women's headaches, nervousness, and cramp-like pain often are symptoms of functional dysmenorrhea due to a weak, run-down, undernourished condition. That so many women find relief from these painful symptoms through the CARDUI "build-up" is easy to explain. By improving the appetite, assisting digestion and assimilation, CARDUI helps to build physical resistance against periodic pain. Thousands of women also report that CARDUI, taken just before and during "the time," helps to ease periodic pain.

**A Gift that SAVES  
Every Day in the Year**

**An ELECTRIC Refrigerator  
Pays for Itself  
In Greater Food Savings**

It really isn't enough that a gift just be given at Christmas time. To be fully appreciated it must last a long time, giving real joy, pleasure and satisfaction day after day... year after year! An electric refrigerator is that kind of a gift. And it saves!

**Now! Liberal trade-in allowance EASY TERMS**

**Cold-Wall FRIGIDAIRE**

**FREE**  
A beautiful sterling silver gift medalion engraved with any message you desire will be affixed to your Christmas Frigidaire, free of charge, if requested.

**West Texas Utilities Company**

### 1940 Cotton Quotas Are Approved In The County

From the results obtained from the 11 boxes in Jones County voting in the 1940 cotton marketing quota referendum, it has been determined that the cotton quotas were approved by 70.5 per cent of the voters voting in this election. There were 780 cotton producers voting yes and 326 voters voting no. The results of the individual boxes are shown below:

Name of Box	No. Votes YES	No. Votes NO	Total Votes Cast	Percent For Quotas
Avoca	68	15	83	81.9
Anson	187	109	296	63.2
Hamlin	79	29	108	73.1
Hawley	62	13	75	82.7
Lueders	27	26	53	50.9
Neinda	55	24	79	69.6
Noodle	70	16	86	81.4
Goodman	15	4	19	78.9
Stamford	130	63	193	67.4
Stith	52	21	73	71.2
W. Creek	35	6	41	85.4
TOTAL	780	316	1106	70.5

It has also been reported that the producers voting in the State approved this Cotton Marketing Quota provision by approximately 81.5 per cent and that producers voting in the nation, which is the accumulative total of all votes in the cotton producing states approved quotas by approximately 91 per cent. This means, of course, that cotton marketing quotas will be in effect for 1940 on cotton produced in excess of the farm marketing quotas on these farms not complying with their cotton acreage allotments.

**1939 COTTON LOANS ARE AVAILABLE**

The Agricultural Adjustment Act in 1938 as amended, provides that the Commodity Credit Corporation is authorized upon recommendation of the Secretary and with the approval of the President to make available loans on cotton. These loans have now been made available

and the rates for Jones County producers on basis of Middling White 7-8 cotton will be 8.80 cents per lb. The regulations governing these loans are quoted below: We are assuming that they will be available for those producers taking loans within the next few days.

**Classified Ads**

NOTICE ADVERTISING RATES:

Advertising of this kind is charged for at 5 cents per line or fraction of line per issue. Charges not paid for in advance, will be billed to advertiser at the end of the month.

**OATS FOR SALE**

Plenty of Texas Red seed oats for sale at 50 cents per bushel at my barn. These are free of grass seed.  
T. A. JEAN (6-2P)

**HOUSE FOR SALE OR RENT**

Have a home on "Park Street," 10th, for rent or sale. Would sell for small down payment and balance monthly. If interested, write  
E. D. DAVIS  
P. O. Box 893, Phillips, Texas  
Call for key and further information at the Herald office. (6-tf)

**RADIOS**

Have some good second hand radios, will sell worth the money. Also some new Electric radios. Will give you a good trade in on your old radios. See these radios at Wilson's Hardware Store.

Have a good circle saw can be used with any motor, for sale or trade.—C. C. RENFRO. (6-p)

**WANT MAN AND WIFE**

Would like to get a man and his wife to live in my home on Flat

**FOR THE HOLIDAYS**

**Christmas Specials**

<b>CANDY, Christmas Mix</b>	2 lbs.	25¢
<b>SUGAR</b>	PURE CANE CLOTH SACK	10 lbs. 51¢
<b>Shortening</b>	8 LB. CTN.	72¢
<b>Cocoanuts</b>	3 FOR	25¢
<b>Walnuts</b>	Fancy California LB.	19¢
<b>APPLES</b>	Size Fancy 163 Delicious, Dozen	23¢
<b>ORANGES</b>	Size Fancy 252 DOZEN	15¢
<b>SUGAR</b>	Confectioner's Or Brown 3 Lbs. For	25¢
<b>Mince Meat</b>	Red & White 3 FOR	25¢
<b>KARO</b>	Red Label 3 LB. CAN	28¢
<b>Pickles</b>	Sour or Dill QUART	15¢
<b>Steak</b>	LB.	15c
<b>Pork Roast</b>	LB.	14c
<b>Cheese</b>	LB.	23c
<b>See Tom For TURKEYS</b>		
<b>Pork Chops</b>	LB.	18c
<b>Bacon</b>	KORN KING LB.	23c
<b>Beef Roast</b>	LB.	14c

**TERRELL'S**

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WE DELIVER



# Smith Dry Goods Co.

# LEAVES HAMLIN

## Sale Starts Friday, Dec. 15, 8 A. M.--Be Here

IN ORDER TO REDUCE OUR STOCK  
QUICKLY

### Our Entire Stock

OF CRISP NEW MERCHANDISE FOR

### Fall and Christmas

WILL BE SOLD AT

### Bargain Prices

## NOTICE!

SPACE DOES NOT PERMIT US  
TO MENTION THE HUNDREDS  
OF ITEMS THAT ARE NOT LIST-  
ED HERE. JUST COME TO  
THIS SALE

### You Won't Be Disappointed!

Thousands of Dollars Worth  
OF NEW SEASONABLE

**Hats, Shoes, Piece  
Goods, Ready-to-Wear  
Men's Furnishings  
Work Clothes, Etc.**

GO ON SALE AT BARGAIN PRICES,  
JUST IN TIME FOR YOUR  
CHRISTMAS SHOPPING

PLEASE SELECT SIZES CAREFULLY  
AS WE WILL NOT HAVE TIME TO  
MAKE EXCHANGES.

ALL MERCHANDISE WILL BE  
SOLD FOR CASH ONLY.

#### VIRGINIA HART DRESSES

All new styles in a choice selection of crisp  
new colors, most all sizes,  
formerly priced to \$2.98

Sale Price **\$1.57**

All other Ladies Ready-to-Wear at  
REMOVAL SALE PRICES

#### 1 BIG Table of NEWEST SUPERB PRINTS

all New Patterns, our regular 19c to 22c  
Quality—

Sale Price **15c yd.**

All Other Piece Goods at Removal Sale Prices

#### Just in Time For Christmas Entire stock of LADIES SILK HOSE

**Reduced Prices**

—Buy now and SAVE.

SCOTTS LEVEL BEST

#### KHAKI PANTS—SHIRTS

Removal Sale Price

**89c**

#### ENTIRE STOCK OF SHOES SLASHED

An opportunity you can't afford to miss.  
Tell your friends about this Sale—

#### MEN'S SHOES

in all the new wanted styles. Actual values  
to \$3.98—REMOVAL PRICE

**\$2.87**

1 Lot of Men's and Boys DRESS OXFORDS  
all new fall styles—REMOVAL SALE PRICE

**\$1.87**

Men's Hand-Made Wool Lined

#### TIES

New Patterns just in time for Xmas

Sale Price **44c**

#### Men's DRESS SHIRTS

FAST COLORS—NO WILT COLLARS  
Newest fall styles and colors, all have seven  
button fronts— Removal Sale Price

**87c**

—A L L OTHER MEN'S SHIRTS A T  
GREATLY REDUCED PRICES

BIG WARM—

#### PART WOOL BLANKETS

A wide assortment of colorful new plaids,  
Sateen bound edges

Sale Price **\$1.69**

#### MENS HATS

Entire Stock Men's Hats

**Reduced**

They will make an ideal gift for Christmas  
and you can buy the latest styles at a big  
Saving during this Sale

ENTIRE STOCK OF LADIES

#### NEW FALL HATS

Formerly priced at \$1.98—

Sale Price

**67c**

ENTIRE STOCK OF

#### LADIES' SHOES

**Marked Down**

On Sale at Greatly Reduced Prices—  
Don't fail to see them.

#### Children's SHOES Reduced

Solid leather shoes in the newest styles,  
formerly priced to \$1.98—

Sale Price

**\$1.47**

All other childrens shoes reduced—

## Every Item In The House Marked Down

# SMITH DRY GOODS CO.



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## Letters To Santa Clans Will Be Published Next Week

### Singers To Meet At

Avoca December 17

The Jones County North Side Singing Convention meets on the third Sunday, Dec. 17, at Avoca. The singing will be held in the High School auditorium, which has recently been equipped with a new public speaking system. The singing will begin at 1:30 P. M.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Quartets and other singers are especially invited. (6-2t)

### IT IS EASY

To resolve to go on a diet just after a hearty meal.  
To be a Pacificist until your coun-

try calls for you in war.  
To oppose capital punishment until one of your own flesh and blood has been slain.

To want to drive recklessly in a great new motor car until you hit an innocent man, woman or child and see them writhing before your own eyes in the death agony of their own blood.

To think you are the most unfortunate creature under God's heaven until you see a blind person groping along in total darkness.

To bemoan that you have to work for a living until you are taken ill and while bedridden know that you cannot work.

To join with the crowd to mob some fiendish brute until you take an oath to uphold and defend the constitution and courts.

To rally jubilantly behind your

own team in its hour of triumph and to taunt the unfortunate losers until your own team itself loses.

To determine to be careful just after you are in an accident.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS CONCERNING USE HIGH SCHOOL GYM

Special rules are necessary for the operation of a gymnasium during basketball season, as we hope to sponsor four teams. They are: Senior Girls, Junior Girls, Senior Boys, and Junior Boys. The suggestions we have formulated are as follows:

Nights each week will be divided equally between the boys and the girls, with Friday nights of each week going first to the boys' team and then to the girls'.

All boys reporting for basketball and recognized by the coaches will be admitted to all games free.

All girls reporting for basketball and recognized by the coach will be admitted free to all games.

When girls schedule a game to play on a night assigned to the boys, the girls will receive 25 per cent of the net gate.

When boys schedule a game to play on a night assigned to the girls, the boys will receive 25 per cent of the net gate.

On conference games where the boys and girls play conference opponents the net receipts will be divided on a fifty-fifty basis, regardless for which team the night was originally scheduled.

When either the boys or girls play a conference game and the other team plays a non-conference game, the team playing the conference opponent will receive 75 per cent of the net gate.

Outside teams may use the gymnasium on the nights the gymnasium is not in use by a school team for a \$1.00 guarantee per team or a payment of \$2.00 for two hours' use of the gymnasium.

Outside teams may play on nights that the school teams play provided that with the outside game there will not be over three games and that all outside players on both the teams pay the regular admission charge to enter the gymnasium.

The gymnasium will not be available for games, nor practice, nor for any use by any groups at any time on Wednesday nights.

School teams may work out any night other than Wednesday night that no games are scheduled provided that boys and girls do not work out on the same night. Also, if boys desire to work out on a night scheduled for the girls, the coaches of the boys must first make sure that the girls do not intend to use the gymnasium. The reverse is effective if the girls desire to work out on a night that was originally scheduled for the boys and if no game is matched by the boys. No team will be permitted to work out on a night the other team plays.

If the gymnasium is opened on Saturday nights for games other than conference games the girls and boys may match games and the net receipts will be divided equally.

A net gate shall be the gross receipts less any expense as advertising and a \$2.00 house charge to pay for the water and lights. If any gate grosses less than \$2.00 the school shall take this as overhead expense in operation. Officials hired by either team when both play shall be paid by the team employing the official after the division of receipts is made. If the official calls both the boys' and girls' games his charges shall be equally divided between the two teams.

G. R. BENNETT,  
Supt. Hamlin Schools

## State Fire Insurance Commissioner Gives A Timely Warning

As we approach another Holiday Season we are faced with the stern realization that we have much for which we should give Thanks, and may we as individuals enter into this Season with renewed hope and good cheer for an early Peace throughout the world.

Let us, among other things, give Thanks to all of those who have worked so diligently this year in the prevention of fires and give to them encouragement by a willing spirit of co-operation in a continuation of this splendid public service, but lest we forget, the observance of Christmas is fraught with danger to life and property because of many

special fire hazards that come into use at that time. A careless act, or the use of an unsafe article, may blight the day, replacing joy with grief.

Some of the facts pertaining to special fire hazards that everyone should acquaint himself during the Holiday Season are as follows:

"Use only non-combustible materials for Christmas tree decorations, and remember that clothing and Christmas tree decorations may be made fire resisting by dipping them in a 10 per cent solution of ammonium sulphate.

"That the cotton beard of a Santa Clause frequently catches fire with serious results.

"That the Yuletide custom of placing a lighted candle in the window near curtains has cast many a cloud of gloom.

"That small children should never be permitted to handle fireworks.

"That wrappings from packages should not be allowed to accumulate.

"That toy electric trains, motors and other appliances should not be attached to light sockets until all fuses and connections are in perfect order.

"That pennies or wire should never be used in replacing blown-out electric fuses. The fuse is the safety valve on your wiring system to protect you against fire.

"That lighted candles should never be placed on the Christmas tree. "We wish to especially thank the

fire marshals, fire chiefs, firemen, city officials, district and county attorneys, for their splendid co-operation this year in the interest of fire prevention and fire protection.

MARVIN HALL,  
Fire Insurance Commissioner

The red mulberry, which is a very important wildlife food, is rapidly becoming depleted in Texas.

European Starlings are on the increase in Texas, State Game Department wildlife experts report.

## Relief At Last For Your Cough

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to loosen germ laden phlegm, increase secretion and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. No matter how many medicines you have tried, tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding that you are to take the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

**CREOMULSION**  
For Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

**DR. Q. DON GOULD**  
CHIROPRACTOR

TEXAS GRADUATE

N. Main St. HAMLIN, TEXAS

Approximately 72 per cent of the deer harvested in Texas are taken from thirteen counties on the Edwards Plateau.

East Texas is one of the few places in the United States where the eastern wild turkey is still found, the Texas Game Department reports.

## SATISFACTORY WATCH REPAIR



NO MATTER HOW FAR GONE YOUR TIMEPIECE SEEMS, WE CAN REPAIR IT TO GIVE ACCURATE SERVICE. NO CHARGE FOR ESTIMATE — LOW CHARGE FOR SERVICE!

**WITT Jewelry**

## Choice Foods FOR YOUR Christmas Feast

CRANBERRY SAUCE  
2 Cans ..... 29c

MINCE MEAT  
Package ..... 9c

SPICED PEACHES  
No. 2 1-2 Can ..... 23c

FRUIT JUICES  
3 Cans ..... 25c

SPICES  
Can ..... 5c

SUGAR  
10 lb. Cloth Bag ..... 51c

PIMENTOS can ..... 5c

Cranberries fancy plump lb. - 19c

Pineapple 3 No. 1 cans ..... 25c

SEE OUR SPECIAL-PACK BASKETS

—Of—

GROCERIES, NUTS, and CANDIES  
FOR GIFTS

OYSTERS can ..... 12c

CELERY crisp ..... 10c

ORANGES dozen ..... 15c

APPLES dozen ..... 15c

PORK SAUSAGE lb. .... 19c

BEEF ROAST

Chuck lb. .... 17c

SLICED BACON lb. .... 21c

PORK HAM ROAST lb. ... 23c

Folks! We want to say, "Thank you! Thank you!" for Happiest, Most Prosperous year we have ever had. Each of you has helped to make it so. — Here's wishing YOU the best Christmas yet—

## Joe A. Simpson Gro. & Mkt.

PHONE 25

HAMLIN, TEXAS

## Christmas Sale

--At--

## COST AND BELOW COST

1 group Dresses at ..... \$2.95

1 group of Dresses at ..... \$4.95

1 group of Dresses at ..... \$8.95

New Velvet and Jersey  
Turbans at ..... \$1.95

Fine Fur Felts ..... \$2.95

—And Everything else at correspondingly Low Prices.

We wrap Christmas gifts at no extra charge.

*The Rose Shoppe*

## Your Gift

Here's something that no one else can give — your picture! Such a gift will delight relatives and friends.

**WILLIS STUDIO**

Sweetwater, Texas





## Thelma Dean Member Of Homemakers Club

Believing that "what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander," Thelma Dean, recently organized a Future Homemakers Club as a sort of parallel to the Future Farmers of America boys club. Members of the club will study household problems and will discuss various phases connected with successfully organizing and running a household.

Thelma Dean of McCaulley is a member of this organization for the school year 1939-40.

At a meeting last week Miss Grace Cody, Erath county home demonstration agent, discussed the possibilities of home demonstration as a vocation.

Miss Mattie Walker, head of the Home Economics Department at Tarleton College, has been chosen as faculty adviser and sponsor.

—Tarleton News Service

Adding machine rolls 15c or two for 25c at Herald office.

## Modern War Does Not Have Victors

This holiday season the United States has much to be thankful for—and the ancient greeting of "happy new year" should have more than ordinary significance. Alone of the great powers of the world, we are at peace, and remote from the bloody shambles of war.

That we will stay at peace should be every American's passionate resolution. For war does more than destroy lives and property. It destroys ideals, institutions, principles—the best that centuries of our forefathers have bequeathed us. Certainly this weary planet should have learned by now that there are no victors in modern war—there are only losers.

Peace is the finest Holiday gift any nation in this war-torn world can have.

## Schubert Club To Give A Christmas Program

The Schubert Music Club will present its annual Christmas cantata at the First Baptist Church on Sunday evening, December 17 at 7:30.

The club is in its twelfth session,

having been organized in 1928 and federated the same year, the organization has a full membership for the first time and much worthwhile study in music appreciation, choral work and general club activities is being enjoyed by the members under the leadership of Mrs. L. H. McBride, president and Miss Edwina Gilbert, choral director.

The membership of the Schubert club includes Meses. Henry Albritton, Clinton Barrow, Gordon Bennett, Harold Bonner, Fred Carpenter, Ira Clements, Travis Dean, Mart Farrow, Weldon Griggs, Q. Don Gould, A. A. Hackley, F. M. Lawlis, Q. Martin, Willard Maberry, L. H. McBride, J. W. McCrary, John D. Milburn, J. E. Moody, Gerald Morgan, Joe Moser, Hubert Morton, Luther Rector, Bill Rountree, W. C. Russell, Lott Shell, Earl Smith, R. B. Wiar and Meses Geneva Albritton, Maxine Brundage, Frances Eddy Beck, Edwina Gilbert, Pauline Harrell, Alpha Moore, Nadine Morgan, Betty Merle Routh, Lois Ellen Stell and Constance Teague.

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family present were her husband, Rev. L. K. Malone, a daughter, Mrs. J. J. Rhodes and granddaughter, Betty Jo, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Malone and son, W. T. who had as his guests two of his boy friends whose names we failed to learn.

Mrs. Malone enjoys splendid health for one of her years and was able to accompany her husband to Hamlin Saturday afternoon to select a pretty dress which he gave her for a birthday gift. Other nice and useful gifts were received from members of her family.

Mrs. Malone was born in Pickens County, Alabama, where she spent much of her early life. On September 5, 1879 she was united in marriage to Rev. L. K. Malone and they continued to make their home in Alabama until 1900 when they moved to Bell County, Texas, where they lived until 1906 when they moved to Jones County where they have made their home for the past thirty-three years.

## Y. W. A. Sponsors

### Christmas Caroling

Would you like to sing Christmas Carols with the members of the Young Womens Auxiliary, Christmas Eve night?

Every one is invited to help in this way to bring cheer and the true Christmas spirit to the homes in Hamlin. The party will meet at the

First Baptist Church Sunday night, December 24, at nine o'clock.

If you want us to visit your home or the home of a friend, notify Misses Lois Ellen Stell, Elsie Mitchiner or Ruth Eckler.

Mrs. J. W. Wendel left Saturday for Buckeye, Arizona, to visit her daughter.

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## Optimissus Club

### Entertained

Mrs. Etsel McCoy was hostess to the members of the Optimissus Club Friday afternoon.

Roses and chrysanthemums were used in decorating the entertaining rooms.

In games of "42" high score was made by Mrs. L. B. Maberry.

A dessert course was served to the following members: Mmes. J. D. Burk, Jodie Creel, Roy Gilbreath, L. B. Maberry, G. P. Odom, G. W. Pennington, Jerry Richardson, Hal Rasor, A. T. Tipton, O. G. Harvey, J. M. Keen and the hostess.

## Sub-Deb Club

### Enjoys Hayride

Members of the Sub-Deb club met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Brundage, Friday evening and from there went on a hay ride. After the ride, guests assembled at the Hamlin City Park where a picnic lunch was served to Maxine Brundage, Hope Cade, Marguerite Nobles, Joyce Hudson, Hazel Adkins, Phala Davis, Wynell Wallace of Munday; James Nicholson, Billy Joe Burton, G. W. Turner, Glenn Adkins, Carl Barton, Teddy Russell, R. A. Dean, Lester Brooks, Jack Ellison, Tommy Hill and Herman Tindal.

## Yule Tide Theme

### Featured In Party

A yule-tide theme was used in decorations and appointments in a pretty party Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Clinton Barrow on Park Street when she entertained members of the Trece Senoras Club and other guests.

Games of bridge were played in which Mrs. C. F. Butcher made high score for the club and Mrs.

Bob Barrow scored high for guests.

Following the games a plate holding salads molded in the shape of Christmas bells, wafers, toasted macaroons and coffee was served to Mmes. C. F. Butcher, Bob Barrow, Bill Rountree, L. H. McBride, M. T. Hudson, Frank Lawlis, Raymond Jones, Willard Maberry, W. E. Akers, Marcus Smith, J. F. Taylor and Roy Gilbreath.

## Mrs. J. T. Bynum Club Hostess

Mrs. J. T. Bynum was hostess to the Utopian club in her home on Union Avenue, Wednesday afternoon, entertaining with two tables of bridge. High score was made by Mrs. Arlie Cassle.

At the conclusion of the games salads with cake and coffee were served to Mmes. C. G. Green, H. O. Cassle, J. F. Taylor, J. P. Morgan, Arlie Cassle, D. D. Harden, Fred B. Moore and J. O. Jones.

## Sophomores Celebrate With Christmas Party

Fifty members of the sophomore class of Hamlin High School attended the Christmas party held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brown, in South Hamlin.

Games and contests were directed by Mrs. J. M. Grigg, after which refreshments of hot-dogs, hot chocolate and cookies were served around a bon fire to 50 sophomores and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Grigg, Mrs. Loy Fry, Mrs. Sam Cade and Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Brown.

## Mrs. Malone Celebrates Eighty-Fourth Birthday

Mrs. L. K. Malone celebrated her eighty-fourth birthday Sunday, with a dinner in her home four miles east of Hamlin. Members of her



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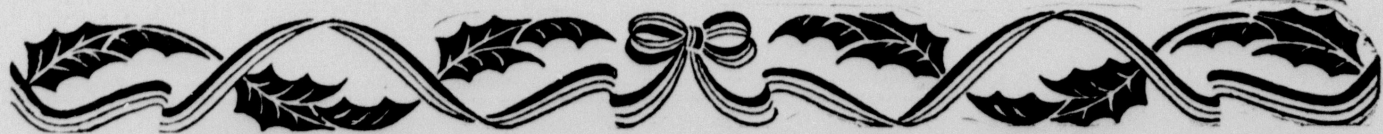
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# Hamlin School Basketball Schedule Is Announced

Hamlin high school will formally open her basketball season January 1, 1940 when she will engage Hawley in the first conference game on the local floor. Boys and girls will begin their schedule at that time. Below is given Hamlin's conference schedule.

TOWN—HERE	THERE
Hawley—Jan. 2	Feb. 25
Leuders—Jan. 4	Jan. 30
Anson—Jan. 9	Feb. 1
Goodle—Feb. 6	Jan. 11
Voca—Feb. 8	Jan. 16
Stamford—Feb. 13	Jan. 18

Stamford and Anson do not support girl's team, but all other towns do. A double feature program of at least two and not more than three games will be arranged for each night.

The Pied Pipers are anxious for the town's support during their conference schedule. They promise the fans a fast show, a thrilling exhibition amid comfortable surroundings. The gymnasium will be comfortable at all times.

Hamlin's boys and girls have won basketball championship so often that Hamlin fans do not get very much excitement when we win. But, with the fine gyms built everywhere the other teams promise to be stronger this year, and Hamlin must fight if she expects to keep her basketball crown.

The price to all conference games will be 10 and 20 cents.

Besides these conference games many matches with teams like Sweetwater, Colorado, Big Spring,

Snyder and other surrounding towns will be played.

Through January, February and March at least fifteen evenings will find the Hamlin Pipers engaging some worthy opponent.

Season tickets will be on sale entitling the purchaser to attend all basketball games played by any of the Hamlin school teams in the local gymnasium. Price of adult season tickets is \$1.50 and student season tickets 75 cents. These prices will represent a saving of from \$1.00 to \$2.00 over the entire season.

G. R. BENNETT,  
Superintendent Schools.

The raccoon, according to State Game Department biologists, is fast becoming a rare animal in East Texas due to overtrapping and clearing of bottom lands for farming.

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## SCIENCE STUDIES MESQUITE TREE

Lubbock, Tex.—Rate at which mesquite seedlings reproduce on the South Plains, to determine an economical means of eradication, is being studied by Dr. E. L. Reed, professor of botany at Texas Technological college.

'Ratio of young plants to old is approximately 15 per cent in any region studied thus far,' Reed said. 'Young plants include those up to

15 or 20 years old. Growth is very slow in a dry climate, hence it will not be difficult to eradicate mesquite from pasture land once a quick, economical method is found.'

His investigation was started three and one-half months ago and has covered selected areas near Lubbock. He plans to extend the experiment below the Cap Rock later on.

Oldest mesquite tree found in his study thus far shows between 90 and 120 years of growth.


'This was one of several branches,' he explained. 'The tap root was doubtless considerably older.'

Seeds from freshly ripened pods will germinate in from three to five days, the experiment shows, but are so well protected by the pods that the latter must be destroyed before seed can germinate. In a group of 100 seedlings observed after a rain last August, all germinated from pods two or three years old, which had been decayed by bacterial action. One month later, only ten of the 100 seedlings which had germinated were still living, the victims of dry weather. At the end of three

months, only one was alive.

One-acre tracts will be cut off next spring and two methods of removal tested. Spraying will be tried in one, and in the other mesquite trunks will be nicked to see if sprouting takes place below. Either method, if successful, will require only about one-fourth the expense and time required for grubbing, Reed said.

Gray foxes, formerly rarely observed except at night, are now frequently seen crossing Texas roads, Game Department biologists report.



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"Huddling" is the unhealthful practice of living in one or two rooms during the winter season. "Huddling" invites colds that are forerunners of many serious winter illnesses. If you "huddle", with part of the house blocked off in a shivering quarantine, sudden body chilling temperatures are unavoidable every time a member of the family leaves a heated room to go to some other part of the unheated home.



Fight the dangerous common cold this winter with these simple rules: (1) Don't "huddle" but provide comfortable temperatures in every room so that quick body-chilling changes will be avoided at all times; (2) Introduce sufficient oxygen-laden air into the home through adequate ventilation; (3) Keep connecting doors open so that a natural circulation of warm air prevails from one room to another; (4) If you should "catch cold" consult your family doctor before it has an opportunity to undermine your health.

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## News of the Week From the McCaulley Community

(By PAULINE MABERRY)

Everyone in our small town seems to be getting the Christmas spirit. All the kiddies are looking forward to seeing ole Santa Claus!

Singing is to be next Sunday instead of the fourth Sunday. We urge all of the people interested in good music to be with us.

Mrs. W. H. Stephenson is back home from a visit with her sons in Abilene and San Angelo.

The Senior girls basketball, second string team played ball at Blackwell last Thursday night and won by fourteen points. The first string played and lost by seven points.

Speaking of ball and classes, our fair school turns out next Thursday for the Christmas Holidays. All the boys and girls will hate to do this we are sure? ? ?

Last Wednesday night, after being postponed twice, our P. T. A. play was finally given. We had one of our largest crowds and everyone enjoyed the play, very much.

Mrs. Sid Hemphill returned home last Thursday from Eureka, Arkansas. She is feeling fine.

Sammy Lou Wicker was at home for the week-end. He is at a CCC Camp in Lubbock.

Curtis Courtney has returned to Jacksonville. We hope to see him back soon as he is an active member of our young crowd.

Tellus Wicker formerly of McCaulley, now living in Slaton, came home three weeks ago to visit friends relatives and sweetheart. He also visited in Hamlin. He returned to Slaton last week.

Mrs. Charles Randolph of Three Rivers, Texas is a guest in the home of her mother, Mrs. Brawner of McCaulley.

Mrs. Arnold Galloway has been visiting the past two weeks with her brother, Tom Hodges in Lubbock and her sister, Mrs. Willie Renfro in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. Binnie Williams of McKinney, Texas were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Happy McHone for the week-end.

Rev. John P. Hardesty is in Waco and H. P. Powers is being Editor of the McCaulley News.

The Sixth and Seventh grade classes took their fourth day holiday, Tuesday. They left at noon and went to the over-pass on the hi-way and stayed until 2:30. While playing someone threw a rock, (accidentally or intentionally, we don't know) and hit La Vena Sue Maberry in the eye and broke her glasses, getting glass in her eye. Melvin Courtney carried her to her home to her father and then to the doctor. Her eye isn't injured, but we urge everyone to stop, think and look before heaving.

Mrs. Carol Lee was hostess to a large group of friends and relatives, Tuesday afternoon when she entertained in her home with a miscellaneous shower, honoring Mrs. Happy McHone, a recent bride.

About fifty guests enjoyed this delightful occasion with the honoree. Many useful and pretty gifts were presented amid a shower of good wishes.

Pie topped with whipped cream, coffee and cocoa were served at the refreshment hour.

## OVER THE COUNTY

(By G. D. T.)

Anson and Jones County men won several honors at the tenth annual poultry show at Merkel last week-end. Herman Propst, J. J. Bates and Lee McCaleb of Anson won most of the honors in the Rhode Island Red division of the show. Other show winners and breeds of chickens won are: Harold Sosebee of Noodle, Doc Calloway of Anson, winners in Buff Orpington division; A. J. Barbee and Mr. Reece of Noodle and Bitter Creek, won in Dark Cornish; E. O. Criswell of Anson, White Australopis; J. J. Bates, Anson, White Wyandottes; Gene Bumpass of Truby, baby beef bronze turkeys.

Anson has been approved for a dam northeast of the town to cost approximately \$15,000 which will supply enough water to run Anson three years. The dam will be built through the co-operation of the Brazos River Reclamation and Conservation district and the city of Anson. The dam was secured after city officials and chamber of commerce had been working on the project for several months.

Another \$17,000 will be spent on the municipal park here which was recently completed. The park covers sixty acres in the city limits and has been landscaped, nine holed grass golf course, the largest swimming pool in this section and numerous picnic units. Other work will include further landscaping, setting out of trees, erection of golf shelters, tennis courts, croquet courts, rip-rapping of the stream which winds through the park and other work and will make a total of approximately \$77,000 spent on the project.

Doc F. Neal, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Neal, Hamlin, was enlisted Tuesday in the U. S. Navy at the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, Dallas, Texas, and transferred to the U. S. Naval Training Station, San Diego, California, where he will receive a period of training before further transfer to a ship of the U. S. Fleet, or to one of the numerous trade schools of the navy.

## BOYD CHAPEL CHIRPS

(Mrs. L. F. Cozzen)

Rev. Vaughan filled his regular place in the pulpit Saturday evening, Sunday morning and Sunday evening. An exceptionally large crowd attended all three services. Also the singing Sunday afternoon was well attended and enjoyed.

Theron Bingham has made two trips to Louisiana the past week with his brother-in-law, Wes Neideckin of Hamlin.

Mrs. Bob Milstead had as guests the past week, her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Dye of Glen Rose.

Mrs. Ernest McClure is on the sick list this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Haught and Virginia Cozzen spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Killen of Trent.

Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Cozzen, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Cozzen and Starkey spent the day with the Killens. They are taking little John Ed Killen back to the Shriners Hospital at Dallas, Dec. 12. He is improving every day now.

Mrs. Ervin Hamlin of Neinda attended church at Boyd Chapel, Sunday evening. Quite a few from our community went to Anson Wednesday to see the three lions perform.

The play put on by the Boyd Chapel young folks, Friday night at Union was a grand success.

Snooks Young is at home this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson Young.

P. T. A. met in regular session last Thursday night, we were very graciously entertained by Prof. and Mrs. Powers, of McCaulley. His talk was on character building. We all look forward to their coming again.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Milstead invited five couples to their home Wednesday evening and they were entertained with an aluminum supper, furnished by Mr. Arthur Mize of Pleasant Hill.

Mrs. Earl Brown and Mrs. Sam Tindal were Xmas shoppers in Abilene, Saturday.

Little Miss Muffett Crow is spending a few days with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Judge Crow. Her mother is employed at Woolworth, at Abilene.

Jack Snell of Anson visited with old friends in our community, the past week-end. Jack always has a welcome here, having lived here several years. He now operates a service station in Anson.

Bob Milstead is "moving about" here of late, he moved one of his houses from the old home place to the place where they now live. Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Hancock will occupy it another year.

Boyd Chapel was well represented at the H. D. C. Xmas party at Anson, Tuesday afternoon. Everyone reports a fine time.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Woods entertained several couples in their

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# SAFeway

home Tuesday evening. Mr. Arthur Mize put on a ware-ever aluminum supper.

Etta Eugene Ward had a number of guests at her home Monday night, celebrating her birthday.

There remain but 300 horned mountain sheep in Texas, according to State Game Department survey reports.

W. L. Boyd Jr. returned Saturday from Baylor University where he completed a course in business administration. He will receive his degree with the class which will graduate next June.

Judge and Mrs. S. A. Shook, of Sweetwater were here Sunday to visit their daughters, Mrs. N. M. Armstrong and family and Mrs. T. R. Tegart and husband. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Clint Scott, of Sweetwater.

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Mr. and Mrs. John Stonecipher went up to Vernon the past week-end to see Mrs. C. H. Stonecipher, who had been very ill. They report their mother improved.

ONE DOLLAR for the HERALD. Send the Herald to your friends.

It seems like some people get to enjoy all the good sights — for example, there is Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Cash off again on a summer jaunt down on the coast. They send a pretty card from Corpus Christi, where the cotton comes down to meet the ships.

## Holiday Excursion

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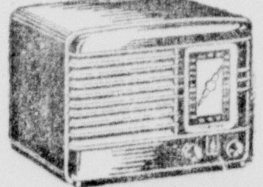
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